

Frederick A. Rex House
726 Cooper Street
Camden
Camden County
New Jersey

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STATE New Jersey	COUNTY Camden	TOWN OR VICINITY Camden	HABS NO. NJ-930
HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE (INCLUDE SOURCE FOR NAME) Frederick A. Rex House (Deed)			
SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE			
COMPLETE ADDRESS (DESCRIBE LOCATION FOR RURAL SITES) 726 Cooper Street, Camden, N. J.			
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE SOURCE) 1876 (Deed)		ARCHITECT(S) (INCLUDE SOURCE) William Severns, Contractor (DEED)	
SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL, INCLUDE ORIGINAL USE OF STRUCTURE) Significant as the residence of Frederick A. Rex, a prosperous Camden grocer. One of the last remaining rowhouses representative of the upper class residential neighborhood which characterized this section of Cooper Street.			
STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE) Italianate, rowhouse			
MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS) Brick, foundation of Connecticut brownstone			
SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE (SKETCHED FLOOR PLANS ON SEPARATE PAGES ARE ACCEPT. Rectangular (Sanborn attached)			
EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE Three story brick rowhouse. Semi-circular arched entryway with brown sandstone surround and keystone wood cornice with paired brackets. Three story cant bay at west facade.			
INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE (DESCRIBE FLOOR PLANS, IF NOT SKETCHED) Side hall plan Interior severely vandalized as a result of long-term vacancy.			
MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES Bays at west facade covered with "asphalt brick" siding.			
PRESENT CONDITION AND USE Deteriorated. Vacant			
OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE This structure is scheduled for demolition in connection with the relocation of Newton Friend's Meeting House (NR)			
SOURCES OF INFORMATION (INCLUDE LISTING ON NATIONAL REGISTER, STATE REGISTERS, ETC.) Camden Historic Survey August, 1982 Bureau of Planning Office of Development City of Camden			
COMPILER, AFFILIATION Lynn Drobbin Principal Planner		Bureau of Planning Office of Development City of Camden	
		DATE Feb. 29, 1984	

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